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Title: ABRASIVE WATER-JET CUTTING NOZZLE HAVING A VENTED WATER-JET PATHWAY

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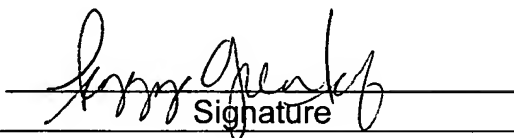
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.143

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the restriction requirement dated August 22, 2005 under 35 USC § 121, Applicants elect Species I (Figure 3) and subspecies I (Figure 5) for prosecution.

In the event additional fees are due as a result of this amendment, payment for those fees has been enclosed in the form of a check. Should further payment be required to cover such fees you are hereby authorized to charge such payment to Deposit Account No. 07-1897.

If the Examiner believes that a phone interview would be helpful, he is respectfully requested to contact the Applicants' attorney, Jeffrey T. Haley, at (425) 455-5575.

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